

**Republican State Ticket.**  
Superior Court Judges:  
JAMES A. BEAVER, Centre;  
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JOHN J. WICKHAM, Beaver;  
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CHARLES E. RICE, Luzerne;  
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**Republican County Ticket.**  
County Treasurer:  
AARON F. STOVER, Quakertown.  
Register of Wills:  
CHRISTOPHER S. GELUCK, Hilltown.  
Director of the Poor:  
HOWARD V. RICH, Plumstead.  
Coroner:  
W. H. KENNAN, Timonium.  
Surveyor:  
EDWARD L. KIRK, Buckingham.

**LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.**  
—Bristol coal dealers are busy.  
—There is one case of diphtheria in Bristol.

—The Mr. Holly fair begins on Monday next.

—Work is progressing on the Methodist church.

—Wm. B. Jones has sold his news agency to Mr. Shall, of Spring City.

—Captain Tyler is fixing up a big electric search light for the steamboat Pokanoket.

—The Good Will Hose Co., No. 2, will hold a bazaar at Mottman Hall, commencing on November 8th.

—Miss Esau Lawrence, who was recently elected librarian of the Bristol Library, took charge last Tuesday.

—The Ladies of the Baptist Church will give one of their famous suppers on Friday evening, October 11th.

—Rev. W. Lee Morrow has discontinued his Saturday afternoon services at the St. James' Episcopal Church.

—The alarm of fire on Tuesday was caused by the burning of a shed at the old rubber-oid works, out the Beaver Dam road.

—Bunyan's Pilgrims Progress will be the subject illustrated by the lantern views at the Baptist Church next Sunday evening.

—The fire alarm system didn't work satisfactorily last Tuesday, and the electricians were at work yesterday investigating matters.

—Gabriel Schiesler, Jr., has the agency for the Dayton and the Pennant bicycles. The Pennant is a new bicycle with barrel hubs.

—The Pennsylvania Railroad Company is placing new gates at the Smith street crossing, Morrisville, where so many accidents have occurred.

—John C. Stuckert, Esq., has been made a Director of the Bristol Water Company to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of William Kinn, Esq.

—The steamer Pokanoket will extend her trip on Sunday, October 6th, as far as Fort Delaware, at the mouth of the Delaware river. Only fifty cents.

—St. Paul's Mission will occupy its new building on Jefferson avenue next Sunday. There will be services morning and evening. The public is invited to attend.

—On next Monday morning the treasurer of the Independent Mutual Fire Insurance Company will be at Silbert's Hotel to receive the assessment from policy holders.

—Machinery is daily arriving at Morrisville for the new shirt factory. Mr. Kohl, the proprietor, expects to have everything in active operation early this month.

—At the 47th anniversary exercises of the A. M. E. Church of Bristol last week the sum of \$41.24 was received, the expenses were about \$30, leaving \$15 to be added to the church fund.

—List of letters remaining in Bristol post-office, October 3rd, 1895: Miss Margaret Manning, John Sherlock, Emma W. Scott, Mrs. Kate Devine, Sam Grubman, Julia Howard, M. P. Lock.

—On next Thursday evening the jubilee singers will appear at the St. James' Parish Building. A prestidigitator will also perform some marvelous feats. The entertainment will deserve liberal patronage.

—The Smith Brothers, of Yardville, N. J., have rented John H. Wood's store at the corner of Mill and Wood streets, and will occupy the same with a full line of general merchandise about the middle of October.

—The ladies of the Cornwells M. E. Church will give a combination tea and entertainment at the P. O. S. A. Hall, on Saturday evening, October 10th. There will be vocal and instrumental music and refreshments in abundance.

—During the month of September there were ten deaths within the borough limits from the following causes: Consumption 3, and one each from Bright's disease, chronic bronchitis, stillborn, intonation, suicide, congestive chill and nephritis. During the corresponding month of last year there were twelve deaths.

—The second of the series of lantern exhibitions to the young folks will be given at the Baptist Church on Saturday afternoon, at 4 o'clock. Views on Robinson Crusoe will be shown. The entertainment will close with three beautiful moving views—  
"The Fountain," "Firing on Fort Sumpter," and "The Aquarium"—all of which will be in operation, making them very realistic. The regular admission fee of five cents will be charged to help defray expenses.

—A very interesting Twilight Service was held at the M. E. Church on last Sunday evening. The two organizations—Wesleyan Brotherhood and Epworth League—have been consolidated during the summer months, and now that the time had come when a separation must be effected services appropriate to the disunion were held. Miss Amelia Little, fourth vice-president of the Epworth League, read a very interesting paper in behalf of the young ladies of that organization, and Mr. S. I. Whitaker, president of the Wesleyan Brotherhood, replied as representative of that association. The concluding remarks were made by the pastor, Rev. C. H. Borer. On next Sunday evening the Epworth League will resume its usual methods of twilight worship.

**Personal Mention.**  
Mrs. H. A. Bailey is at Easton, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. William E. Buckman.  
Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Roberts have been visiting relatives in Hahoro this week.  
Mr. George S. Harding, of Trenton, N. J., was the guest of Wilson Randall and family on Tuesday of this week.  
Miss Lillie Taylor, of Cambridge, Ohio, was the guest of Miss Elsie O. Thomas for several days last week.  
Mr. and Mrs. Edward Swain and family returned, on Monday, from Spring Lake, where they have been spending the summer.

—The twenty-seventh annual meeting of the Bucks County Bible Society will be held in the First Baptist Church, Doylestown, on Tuesday, October 10th, at 10:30 o'clock, forenoon. Rev. S. O. Lawing, of Richboro, preacher. Rev. H. I. Nicholas, of Hattsville, alternate.

—An unknown man, well dressed, supposed to have fallen off a through train from New York on the Pennsylvania Railroad, was found on the tracks above Tullytown on Tuesday afternoon by the truck walker. He had on a black canvas coat and light trousers, had light hair and was about 30 years old. He is supposed to be a seafaring man, as both of his arms were tattooed with pictures of a woman and the coat of arms of a foreign country. No papers could be found on him to identify him.

—A special meeting of the Bucks County Historical Society will be held at Taylorsville, Tuesday, October 8th, on the occasion of dedicating the monument recently erected to mark the place where Washington crossed the Delaware, before the battle of Trenton, on Christmas evening, 1776. Literary exercises, comprising addresses by Gen. Wm. S. Stryker, of New Jersey, and oration by Dwight M. Lowrie, Esq., of Philadelphia, and music and religious services, will begin at 1:30 p. m. At the conclusion of the exercises at Taylorsville, the Society of the Cincinnati, of New Jersey, will unveil a memorial tablet, marking the spot of Washington's crossing, on the opposite side of the river, to which the Bucks county audience is invited.

—General James Dugan, of Bristol, was found dead at the Forrester House, in Washington, D. C., on Sunday. General Dugan had been the city several days awaiting the coming of his wife, and had been slightly ill for a day or two. On Saturday, however, he seemed better, but on Sunday morning he failed to appear for breakfast, and upon going to his room the hotel clerk found him dead. Death resulted from heart disease. The deceased was 78 years of age. He came to Bristol a few years ago, where he married Mrs. Mary Closson, proprietor of the Closson Hotel, and widow of the late William Closson. General Dugan was born in Ohio in 1819. At the outset of the rebellion he entered the Fourteenth Illinois Volunteers as a corporal in Company B, and later became first lieutenant of Company A, of the Eighth United States Veteran Volunteers. He was afterward made second lieutenant in the Third United States Infantry, serving for some time after the close of the war. He was wounded at Big Springs, Mo., and also at Natchez, Tenn., but served throughout the entire war. He had many friends throughout Pennsylvania, Illinois, and the other States where his duties took him and also in Washington D. C.

—Both street had a little more excitement last Friday night than usual, for which Barney J. McGinley, alias "Tug" McGinley was responsible. Barney had imbibed more intoxicating fluid than was good for him. It made him quarrelsome and abusive. He went into Andrew Jeffries' restaurant between nine and ten o'clock, and indulging in many oaths, threats and obscene language made things unpleasant there. Jeffries naturally did not want him there. He asked him to leave. Barney declined. Jeffries tried to put him out by force, McGinley resisted, and officer Wilkinson was called upon to arrest. Then a desperate fight occurred between Wilkinson and McGinley. They rolled over each other, the officer used his stick vigorously and McGinley his teeth. After a fight of some 20 minutes duration along Bath street, McGinley was finally overpowered, put in a stage and conveyed to the lockup. Wilkinson's hand was severely bitten in several places during the melee. On Saturday morning McGinley had a hearing before Esq. Booz charged with aggravated assault and battery, and resisting an officer. He was placed under \$500 bail for his appearance at court. C. J. Patton went on his bail bond.

—The dispute between the new Holmesburg, Frankford & Tacony trolley road and the Pennsylvania Railroad over a grade crossing at the Tacony road, near Tacony, has been settled, and the crossing has been made. A trolley car will be run over the line on a trial trip next Tuesday, and it is expected that the whole system will be in operation from Frankford to the Bucks County line before the end of the week. When connections are made with the Electric Traction system at Harrison street, Frankford, the new line will furnish trolley connection between the extreme limits of the city, from Bucks County line, on the north-east, to Jackson street, on the south; or, Anzora, on the southwest, a distance to the latter of over 18 miles through the city limits.

**An Emergency Hospital.**  
Last week's GAZETTE contained a communication from Dr. Martin advocating the establishment of an emergency hospital in Bristol. His views on the matter have been favorably commented upon. The desirability of having such an institution here seems to be generally conceded, and the success of the project seems to depend upon the concerted action of the physicians of the town and the providing of means for the erection or leasing of a suitable building and the furnishing of the same, and the guarantee of a sufficient fund for its maintenance.

If the Pennsylvania Railroad would agree to pay its proper proportion of the expense the public spirited citizens of Bristol should be willing to provide the remainder.

We have no doubt that if an earnest effort is made a hospital of sufficient capacity for years to come could be successfully established.

—Senator Quay officially opened the fall campaign in behalf of the Republican party of Pennsylvania yesterday, when a meeting of the State Committee was held at the headquarters in Philadelphia. During the progress of the meeting the Senator made an announcement which it is said was received with special gratification. It was that he had received from his predecessor at the head of the Committee, B. F. Gilsken, the sum of \$5000, which had been left over from the last campaign. "This," said the Senator, "is a thing entirely unprecedented in the history of State Committees."

—Many cities are laying claim to being great convention towns. Philadelphia has probably more than her share of side gatherings. Denver, St. Louis, Chicago, Cincinnati, Cleveland, Pittsburgh, Buffalo, Boston and Washington all place themselves upon national gatherings. The fact is that the number of national conventions increases with each year. From small trade organizations and national associations steadily grow, and then follow the annual assemblage of delegates. All branches of business are becoming systematized and by comparing observations business men are learning to improve their respective lines of trade. The number of social organizations is also growing and these, too, must have their annual gatherings for pleasure and incidentally for profit.

—What to do with the silver product of this country is becoming a serious problem to those whose interests are dependent upon the white metal. The report of the Director of the Mint shows that there was produced in 1894 49,500,940 ounces. While this is a decrease from the product of the previous year still the output is so great that some queer schemes are put forth to dispose of the metal without causing a depreciation in its market value. There has accumulated in the treasury of the United States sixteen thousand tons of silver and one Mr. Flaherty, of New York, suggests that this metal be rolled into plates, made into beams and columns and used in the construction of a large hall to be erected in New York for exhibition and amusement purposes. Mr. Flaherty's idea is that the silver would be just as good security for the certificates outstanding as if it were piled up in the government vaults. Another method which was resorted to to consume silver and make a market for the out-pout of the mines was the coining of Columbia half dollars of which \$2,500,000 were struck. It was thought that these would remain in the hands of the people as souvenirs of the great exhibition being stowed away in stockings and bureau drawers would keep that much silver out of the way. It is said that one half of this amount or over two million pieces came back to the mint and were melted up.

**Bid Accepted and Contract for New M. E. Church Awarded.**  
At a special of the Board of Trustees of the M. E. Church, held on Monday evening, September 30th, by a unanimous vote the contract for building the new church was awarded to Mr. Charles Walton, of Andalusia, his bid of \$26,427 being the lowest. His bond will be signed in a few days and work will commence at once. The contract calls for a completion of the building in the early summer of '96. Mr. Walton is a son-in-law of our townsman Robert Brooks and a brother-in-law of our local undertaker Harvey S. Roe. For business integrity, mechanical ability and workmanship he enjoys the recommendation and indorsement of such prominent and influential firms and individuals, both in New York City and his own immediate vicinity, that the matter of his competency and capacity are entirely unquestionable. It is said upon good authority that he is disposed to favor Bristol workmen in every possible way.

The church will be built of gray granite, from the Castor quarries of Holmesburg, Romanesque in style, walls broken range, rock-faced and square pointing. The roof will be of slate with snow-breaks and the tower at entrance 110 feet in height. The floor will slope toward the pulpit and seats be arranged in a semi-circular manner. Both electricity and gas will be used in lighting. When completed the church will be the handsomest structure of its kind in Bucks county.

**A Hospital for Bristol.**  
Dr. Martin, and probably other residents of Bristol, is advocating the building of a hospital in that place, principally for accident cases. There is no doubt but that the necessity exists for a hospital in Bristol. Accidents are numerous in the mills of that place and on the railroad, and the sufferers must frequently be removed to either Philadelphia or Trenton hospitals for treatment and care. Such removal is frequently at the risk of the injured person's life, as Dr. Martin has forcibly stated in an article published in the Bristol Gazette.

If Dr. Martin will make a visit to Charity Hospital in Norristown, he will find just such an institution as he deems necessary for Bristol. He will learn the plans by which the funds were raised for its establishment, and for maintenance, and he will return home with an inspiration that will materially aid him in the work that ought to be done in Bristol for the sick and injured of the town.—Doylestown Republican.

**A Unique Idea.**  
The Epworth League of the M. E. Church has adopted a very unique method of raising money to purchase pews for the auditorium of the new church edifice. A booklet containing, upon its first cover, a floor plan of the new church building and general outline of surrounding land has been procured. The surplus ground at rear of church has been divided up into imaginary building lots, which are sold only on condition that the deed is recorded in the Land's book of Life and title clear is given to Mansions in the Sky. The design of the church is worthy of study, containing as it does, an exact plan, of the floor construction. The Pulpit, Chancel, Choir, Elevation, arrangement of Pews, division of rooms in Sabbath School, and entrances to building are all clearly shown. The second, third and fourth pages of booklet contain a record of the lots and purchasers. The lots are sold for 25c, 50c, and \$1.00, according to location. We commend the young people for their fealty to the church and wish them success in their undertaking.

**Botanists Afraid.**  
The Philadelphia Botanical Club will have a field meeting in the vicinity of Bristol on October 8th in search of potatoegetons.

**Don't Trust to Luck.**  
Smoke Rainmakers.

**Samuel Appleton's Career.**  
The 25th annual session of the A. O. K. of M. C. of Pennsylvania, concluded its meetings at Wilkesbarre, after one of the largest gatherings in its history. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:  
Select Chaplain—R. B. Clare, Philadelphia; Select Commander—A. R. Wambolt, Philadelphia; Select Vice Commander—J. Lawyer, Pittsburgh; Select R. and C. S.—J. Davis, Pittsburgh; Select Treasurer—J. G. Leeder, McKeesport; Select Inside Guard—J. C. Adams, Bristol; Select Outside Guard—P. B. Clare, Philadelphia; Select Trustee—J. L. Warrington, Columbia; Select Marshall—Geo. H. Shires, Scranton; Supreme Representatives—J. B. Ketter, Lancaster; J. B. Black, Philadelphia; J. W. Hauer, Johnstown; Charles Ashelm, Johnstown; S. D. Hunter, Phoenixville; George P. Chandler, Harrisburg; H. E. Wainwright, Pittsburgh; E. S. Edwards, Pittsburgh; R. White, Pittsburgh; R. McKee, Philadelphia.

The competitive drill of the Uniformed Rank of the A. O. K. of M. C. took place on the river bank. Five Companies competed as mentioned—Companies A, G. C. and D, of the Third Regiment, and Company A, of the Fourth Regiment. The adjudicators were chosen from the Ninth Regiment, N. G. P. They were Captain D. S. Myers, Lieutenant G. S. McCleery and Captain C. S. Peck. The first prize (\$75) was won by Company G, of York; percentage 91; time 18 minutes. The second prize (\$50) was won by Company B, of Lancaster; percentage 67; time 25 minutes. Third prize (\$40) was won by Company D, of Reading; percentage 58; time 30 minutes.

Reading was chosen as the next place to hold a session.

The nominations of officers was opened, and prominent among those nominated were P. C. W. S. J. of Buckingham, for Select Trustee; P. C. H. Y. Pickering, of Newtown, for Select Inside Guard; and P. C. J. C. Adams, of Bristol, for Select Outside Guard. P. C. George H. Foxe was appointed District Deputy Select Commander for the Second District of Bucks county.

The "Hanner Castle" of Pennsylvania was Dr. of the West, No. 28, of McKeesport, which initiated 38 members during the year and captured the banner from Philadelphia. J. C. Adams.

**Democratic County Convention.**  
The Democrats of Bucks county met in convention at Doylestown on Monday, and nominated candidates for the offices of County Treasurer, Register of Wills, Coroner, Director of the Poor and County Surveyor. There was a large attendance, every district being represented. J. Miles Jamison, of Newtown, was elected permanent Chairman, and Jeremiah J. Kelly, of Buckingham, and Samuel H. Kramer, of Perkasie, Secretaries. The ticket nominated is as follows: Treasurer, William D. Freed, Richlandtown; Register, Frederick Constantine, Doylestown; Director of the Poor, Thomas Hadden, Doylestown township; Coroner, John T. Maher, Wrightstown; Surveyor, John M. Zuck, Milford. The resolutions adopted pledged anew their fealty to Democratic principles, endorsed the platform of the late Democratic National and State Conventions and the administration of President Cleveland, and pledged their individual support to the Democratic nominees for Judges of the Superior Court.

**To Free Barsley.**  
A quiet, recently inaugurated movement, in which many influential politicians and other persons have joined, having for its object the release of John Barsley from the Eastern Penitentiary, is, it is understood, about to reach the point of a formal application to the Board of Pardons. Barsley enjoys, despite his disgrace and incarceration, a good deal of popularity among his old associates, Councils and other public men, and many of these are relied upon to help along the effort to have him pardoned. Last spring, it may be remembered, two of the experts that had been officially employed in the case, got out a state sent showing that, if all the moneys due the city on Barsley's account were collectible, his shortage would amount only to about \$18,000. Barsley himself has long claimed that he was being kept in prison chiefly because banks in which he had made deposits failed.

Several former colleagues of the ex-City Treasurer, who were spoken to about the effort to get him released, had a word of sympathy for "the old man," some remarking that he had done only what his predecessors in office had done, and what is now being done, is it understood, by a State official, while others contented themselves with the remark that he had already been fearfully punished by his disgrace and imprisonment.

It is probable that the matter will be brought to the attention of the Board this Fall. The Governor is said to have been brought to look favorably upon the project, and to be tolerably sure to sign a pardon if one is recommended by the Board. He was recently the guest of ex-Mayor Edwin H. Filler at Torredale, and Mr. Filler is regarded as a tower of strength for Barsley's application, as he is understood to have assured Governor Hastings that the one and only favor he had to ask of the administration was Barsley's pardon.

Barsley has now served over four years of his sentence. He resigned on May 21, 1891, arrested May 24 charged with misappropriating city funds, pleaded guilty on June 9, and was, on the 2d of July following, sentenced to undergo 15 years solitary confinement in the Eastern Penitentiary, and to pay fines aggregating more than \$237,000.—Ledger.

The new illuminating gas, called acetylene, seems to be meeting with complete success. It has five times the illuminating power of ordinary illuminating gas, and will even rival electric light in brilliancy. It is said that it can be manufactured at a profit at eight cents a thousand cubic feet. As the price of gas in most cities is from \$1 to \$2 per thousand feet, its cheapness will be apparent. It can be used in the country, as well as in town, since it can be stored in small iron cylinders, in liquid form, and sent through dwelling-houses through ordinary gas pipes. Its manufacture is yet in its infancy, but it may even take the place of carbon oil for illuminating purposes.

## ITEMS OF STATE NEWS.

**ALTOONA, Pa., Oct. 1.**—The first snow of the season fell here yesterday, accompanied by a cold wave. Last week the thermometer was in the nineties.

**ASHLAND, Pa., Oct. 1.**—Mrs. Andrew Kline, who was attacked and bitten by a wildcat near her home a few weeks ago, died from her injuries Sunday night.

**WILLIAMSPORT, Pa., Oct. 1.**—William Kelly, aged 14 years, of Hughesville, fell on a picket fence which he was attempting to scale, and received injuries which caused his death an hour later.

**POTTSVILLE, Pa., Oct. 2.**—Elmer King, 20 years of age, was crushed to death by a fall of ten slabs at the Brookville colliery, Towaco City, while climbing with a friend two brothers witnessed his terrible death.

**ASHLAND, Pa., Oct. 1.**—David "Tina," 22 years old, was decapitated while attempting to board a moving coal train near Girardville. Six years ago he had an arm and leg cut off in making a similar attempt.

**DUNBAR, Pa., Oct. 3.**—Mitchell Taylor, colored boy, aged 17 years, employed at the Morrell Coke works, was shot on Monday night at a dance by James Robinson, also colored, and died Tuesday night. Judgment was rendered by the grand jury.

**BETHLEHEM, Pa., Oct. 2.**—Milton Snyder, the 14-year-old son of Edwin Snyder, was killed by a Lehigh Valley express train while carrying dinner to his father at the Bethlehem Iron works. The father was only a few feet away when the fatality occurred.

**PITTSBURGH, Oct. 2.**—Reports from all parts of the coal district indicate that the advanced rate for mining has been generally agreed to, and all are at work with the exception of two mines employing about 400 men. These are expected to get in line later.

**SHAMOKIN, Pa., Oct. 1.**—Seven hundred men and boys will find employment at the Enterprise mine when it resumes work on Oct. 10, and 900 additional men will be taken up by the starting of the Lehigh Valley colliery a week later. These mines have been idle during the past season, owing to the breaker fire.

**READING, Pa., Oct. 2.**—A horse belonging to Henry Graul, an ice dealer, was shocked by a live electric wire at Walnut and Cedar streets and killed. Irvin F. Graul, son of the owner of the team, was hurled some fifteen feet, striking with his head against a telephone pole, sustaining a long gash in his forehead.

**SHAMOKIN, Pa., Oct. 2.**—Mrs. Patrick Muller, living on State street, in the Providence section of the city, was coming down stairs with a lighted lamp when she tripped and fell, the blazing light igniting her clothes and so badly burning her body that the flesh came from her limbs. Death quickly followed.

**HARRISBURG, Oct. 2.**—Governor Hastings has appointed Professor John Hamilton, of State College, Centre county, to be deputy secretary of agriculture. This disposition of an office for which there were a great many applicants, among them some of the most prominent growers and farmers' Alliance men in the State.

**BETHLEHEM, Pa., Oct. 2.**—A passenger train on the Lehigh Valley road struck two boys who were picking coal in a yard of the Bethlehem Iron company's works. One of the boys, William Snyder, aged 10, was thrown against an embankment and instantly killed, while his companion was tossed to one side and escaped with slight injuries.

**BETHLEHEM, Pa., Oct. 1.**—Clayton Rickers, the Jersey Central railroad engineer who was hurled from a fast express train on the Nesquehoning curve on Sunday, and had his skull fractured, died at his home here last night without regaining consciousness. He was 40 years of age, and the only support of his mother and her large family of small children.

**POTTSVILLE, Pa., Sept. 30.**—At a meeting of the committee of the Schuylkill Coal exchange held here the rate of wages for the Lehigh Valley Railroad was fixed for the last half of September and the first half of October was fixed at 17 per cent below the \$2.55 basis. The receivers of the Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron company have decided to raise the rate for the miners to ten per cent below the basis.

**SHAMOKIN, Pa., Oct. 2.**—The four big reservoirs with a combined capacity of 50,000,000 gallons, and the thirty-five miles of water mains of the old Shamokin Water company passed into the possession of the State of Pennsylvania Sunday morning for a period of 999 years. The Reading Creek company will now construct a \$50,000,000-gallon reservoir, and this section of the State will be safe from future droughts.

**HARRISBURG, Oct. 2.**—The Republican conference of the Huntingdon-Mifflin judicial district met here last night and, after taking a number of fruitless ballots, adjourned sine die without making a nomination. As the time for filing the contest was at hand, the contest was adjourned to the next meeting, which will be held on Monday night, Judge Williamson, of Huntingdon, and Horace J. Calbreath, of Mifflin, the rival candidates, will have to go on the ballot by nomination papers.

**SHAMOKIN, Pa., Oct. 2.**—John Brunkey, of Town, had his back broken and Joseph Eyer, of Trevelyan, received a fractured skull yesterday by a fall of coal in Cameron colliery. Both victims are dying. During September there were only one fatal and six serious accidents in the entire coal and anthracite districts, but October has already developed the mischief and underground workmen, because statistics prove that it is accompanied by more mine fatalities than any other month of the year in the district.

**ALTOONA, Pa., Oct. 1.**—Another accident occurred at the Altoona colliery Monday night, resulting in the death of a man. The railroad accident. A train of several cars was descending the mountains when an open car on the rear jumped the track at a switch and fell pulled down by a car loaded with coal. The men were about, but all escaped injury excepting lumberman John Sellers, who fell partly under the car. No bones were broken, however, and his injuries are not considered very serious. The men were rescued and the car tampered with the switch for the purpose of causing an accident.

**HOLDENSBURG, Pa., Oct. 2.**—Motions to quash the indictments in the prosecutions against County Commissioners John Hurd and James Rank for misfeasance in office were made before Judge Bell in the Blair county court yesterday. One indictment charges Commissioner Hurd with solicitation to commit perjury by offering a witness summoned to testify before the grand jury a bribe of \$1000, and the other charges Commissioner Rank with tampering with the switch for the purpose of causing an accident.

**LESSONS GIVEN.**  
Lessons given on the piano by a pupil of Rudolph Hennig. Also German and Latin taught. Apply to Miss Mary Rogers, 411 Radcliffe Street.

**Don't Trust to Luck.**  
Smoke El Liberta.

## POLICY OF TRUE DEMOCRACY.

In Nature's voluminous album of beauty there is no more attractive place for a one-day tour than that to the Switchback, and surely no better medium for visiting it than on a Pennsylvania Railroad personally-conducted tour. In the early Autumn, "Switchback," with its surroundings, is the most pleasant and novel place one could select for a day's tour.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company will, on October 10, run an early Autumn excursion there, under the personal escort of a Tourist Agent. A special train, stopping at principal intermediate stations, will leave Broad Street Station at 7:34 A. M., at Bristol 8:20 A. M., and run through to Glen Onoko, via the beautiful and historic Delaware and Lehigh Valleys, on fast schedule time.

Returning, the train will leave Glen Onoko about 5:45 P. M., reach Mauch Chunk 6:00 P. M., giving ample time for the enjoyment of the beauties of this Switzerland of America.

Excursion tickets, including ride over the famous Switchback Railroad, which, while winding its serpentine course around the mountain, discloses the most picturesque portion of the Lehigh Valley, will be sold at a rate of \$2.00. Children, between the ages of five and twelve years, half rates. Excursion tickets to Glen Onoko, 16 cents extra. A cafe car stocked with hot and cold refreshments, which are sold at reasonable prices, will be run between Phillipsburg and Mauch Chunk.

For detailed information apply to Excursion Agent, Room 417, Broad Street Station.

—The Chester County members of the Grand Army held their first reunion at Birmingham Park, recently, and about one thousand of them were present. The weather was perfect, and the fact of the reunion being held within sight of the battle-field of Brandywine seemed to enliven the old soldiers. All the posts of the county were represented, besides many from adjoining counties. A campfire was held, at which a number of addresses were made. Commodore Cummings said he had just returned from the reunion of the Blue and the Gray at Chattanooga. From what he heard there, he said, he did not think the conditions looked much as though the chasm had been closed. He said as long as the people of the South taught their children that there was a righteous one, though lost, there was little hope of their becoming thorough patriots.

**Mr. Tax Notice.**  
To pay for losses by fire, the managers of the Mutual Beneficial Insurance Association of Bucks County have levied a tax of twenty cents on the hundred dollars on all insurance in proportion. The tax is to be paid to the Treasurer on or before the 17th day of October, 1895.

For the convenience of the members the Treasurer will meet them at various places to receive tax, due notices of which will be sent by postal order to all members. If the said tax is not paid by November 8, 1895, twenty per cent will be added for collection and the policies of delinquents suspended until all taxes are paid. All notices other than this shall be considered as acts of courtesy only, and shall not be a precedent, as the Company will not be responsible for the safe delivery of individual notices.

DAVID SIMPSON, Treasurer.  
Langhorne P. O., Pa.  
September 17th, 1895.

**Niagara Falls, \$10 Excursion via Pennsylvania Railroad.**  
The next of the series of personally-conducted excursions to Niagara Falls, via Pennsylvania Railroad, will be run on October 8.

The rate for round-trip tickets, for ten days, is \$10 from Philadelphia, Washington, and Baltimore; Harrisburg, \$8.00; Williamsport, \$5.80; proportionate rates from other points.

A special train of Pullman parlor cars and day coaches will be run, and a tourist agent and chaperon will accompany the party.

The tickets will permit of stop off at Watkins and Rochester in each direction, and at Buffalo on the return trip.

For specific rates and time of trains application should be made to ticket agents, or to Tourist Agent, Room 411, Broad Street Station, Philadelphia.

—David Hughes, of Indiana, Pa., after an unexplained absence of thirty years, has rejoined his family of wife, daughter and son. The reunion was most joyous. Hughes was wounded during the war, came home and married Miss M. P. Reed, of Kittanning, Pa. In 1864 he returned to the army, and in 1865 was honorably discharged. Instead of returning home, Hughes buried himself in the pines in Wisconsin. His wife mourned him as dead. Hughes has accumulated considerable wealth, and says he is now too happy with his family to discuss the particulars of his long absence and continued silence.

**A Musical Bicycle.**  
Ruhny N. J., has a musical bicycle which, when ridden, plays the latest popular airs. The number of tunes that can be produced at the will of the rider is unlimited. All that is necessary is a change of the disk in the music box attached to an upright in front of the rider. The music box is operated by a steel fan, similar to a windmill, which is placed in the centre of the handle-bar in front of the rider, and works just as a pinwheel does when carried by a running boy.

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—General W. W. H. Davis, president of the Bucks County Historical Society, announces that he will issue from the press, early in the fall, the history of the Pries rebellion.

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# READY FOR BUSINESS.

The Republican State Committee Prepared for the Campaign.

## CHAIRMAN QUAY'S NEW PLANS.

He Has Appointed an Executive Committee, with Frank Willing Leach as Chairman—Although This is an "Off Year" Every Effort Will Be Made to Get Out a Good Republican Vote.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 30.—With the first meeting of the Republican state committee at the headquarters in this city, the campaign may be said to be formally inaugurated. Chairman Quay, whose knowledge of political tactics is indicated, has inaugurated a departure in state campaign work this year by the adoption of an executive committee of the state committee. This executive committee is based upon similar lines as the one in the national Republican committee and as those in the New York and Ohio state committees. Frank Willing Leach has been made chairman of this committee, and upon his shoulders the burden of the campaign will naturally fall.

The committee headquarters here resemble a bee hive in which there are no drones. Chairman Quay and Leach are determined to take nothing for granted. With the assistance of Secretary, J. R. R. and William B. Andrews, they propose to inaugurate a vigorous campaign for the purpose of getting out as large a vote as possible. The vote this year, of course, will not begin to compare with the vote in presidential and gubernatorial years. Their desire, with the assistance of the county chairmen, is to keep the vote up as high as possible.

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Chairman Quay's career can be summarized in the opening paragraph of the speech made by Congressman Stone in nominating him as the leader of the party here.

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Frank Willing Leach, the chairman of the new executive committee, is known to the people of Bucks county as the every important party leader in the state of Pennsylvania. During the recent campaign he won the admiration of both friends and opponents by his manly and efficient efforts to place the Republican ticket in a position of honor rather than in a fight where Colonel Quay's interests were involved. He is certain to give the same zeal to the interests of the whole party in his new position in the state organization.

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### IN NATIONAL CAMPAIGNS.

Although Mr. Leach has been secretary of the state committee since 1885 part of this time he has not actively engaged on the duties of that position. In the Delaware campaign, but a month before the election, he returned to this city and the chairman of the committee of the Republican city committee that directed the special canvass of the Third congressional district, which with the possibilities for showed leadership in the McAloer-Vaux campaign, resulted in a handsome reduction of the Democratic majority in this district.

In the national fight of 1888 Chairman Quay detailed Mr. Leach to direct a still larger campaign for Harrison in North Carolina, which was successful in a handsome undertaking. Then, the scheme was discovered a few days before the election, and the state was lost, the Republicans had the satisfaction of electing three representatives, which saved the honor of the Fifty-first congress to the Republicans. The chairman of the North Carolina Republican committee publicly declared at the time that not one of these congressmen would have been elected but for this successful campaign. Leach for many years was assistant secretary of the national Republican committee.

### THE TWO SECRETARIES.

John R. Rex, of Huntingdon, and William B. Andrews, of Crawford, are the two secretaries of the state committee. Mr. Rex has made a mark as a Republican leader in Huntingdon county. He was reading clerk of the legislatures of 1881 and 1883 and is now the resident clerk of the house of representatives. Mr. Rex has been one of the assistants of the state committee for the past two years.

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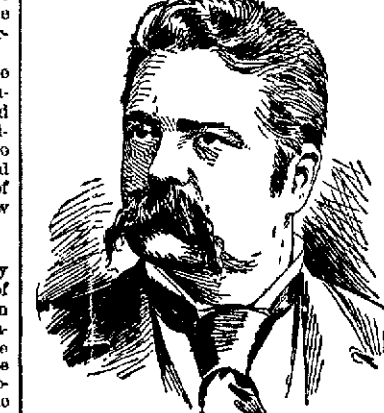
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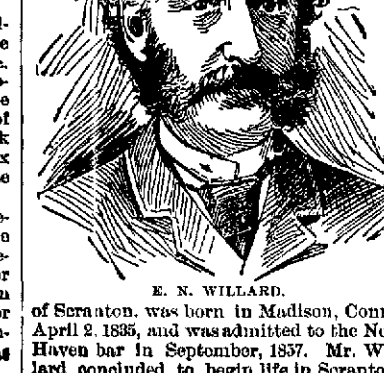
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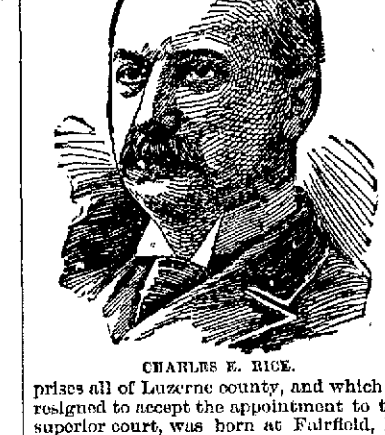
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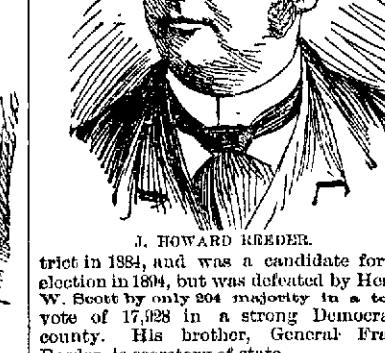
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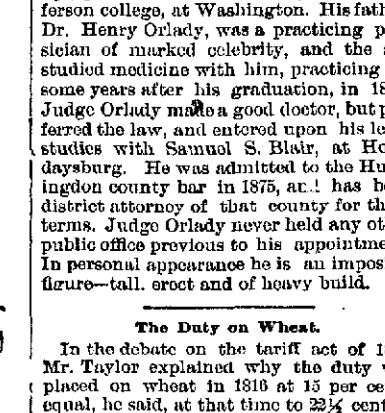
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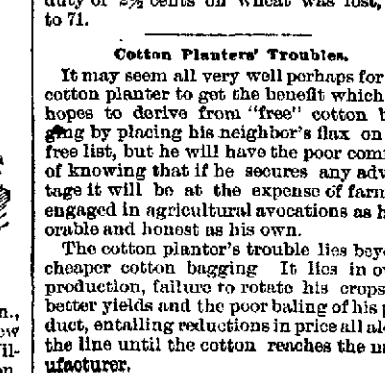
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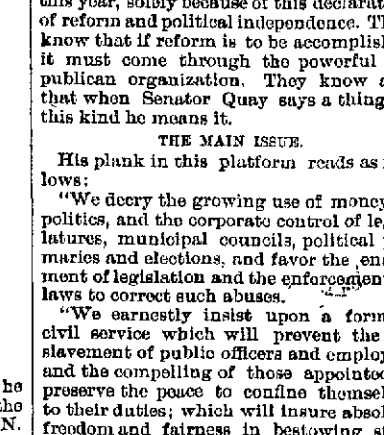
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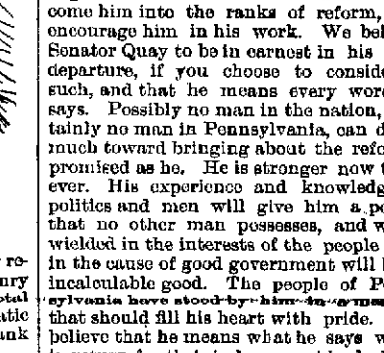
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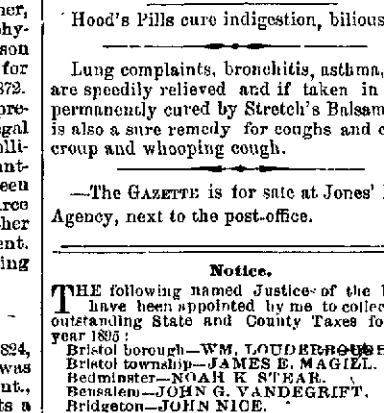
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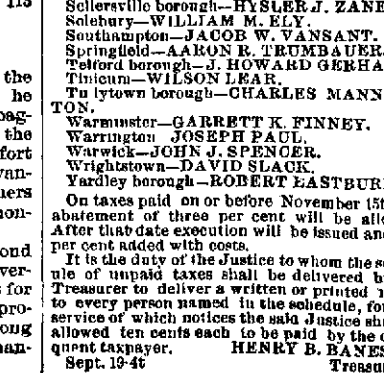
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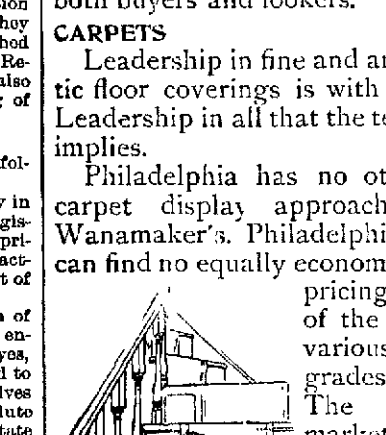
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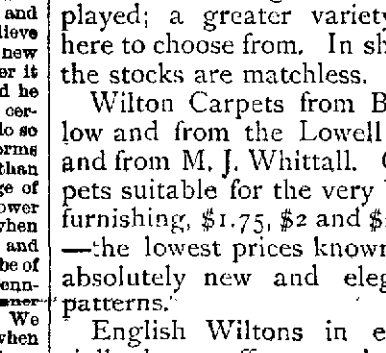
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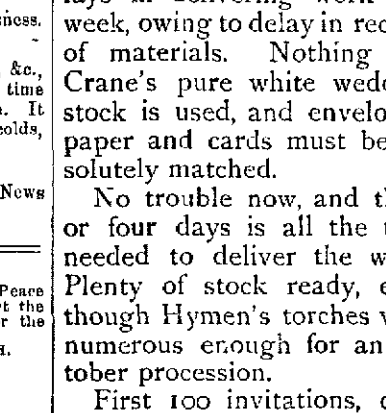
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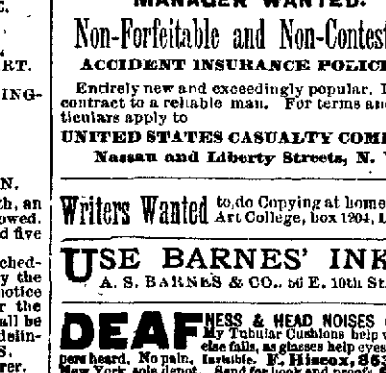
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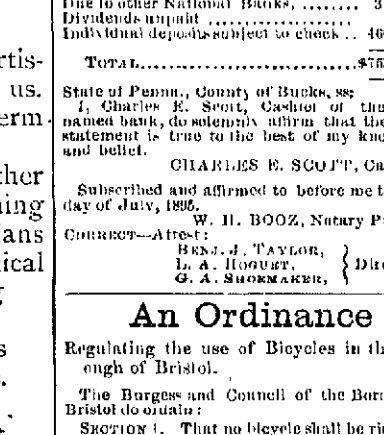
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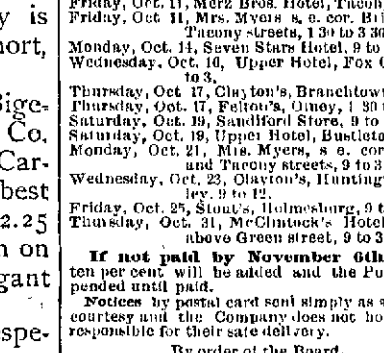
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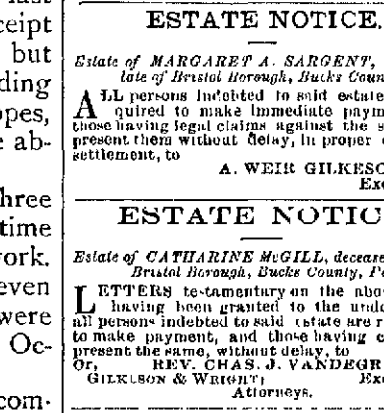
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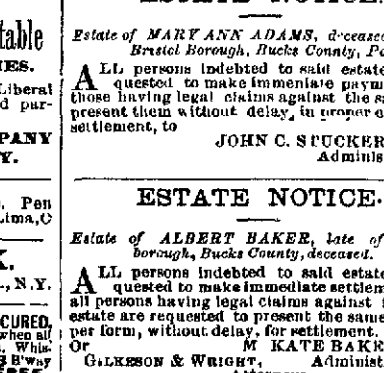
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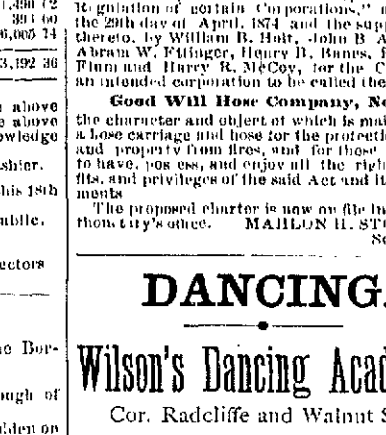
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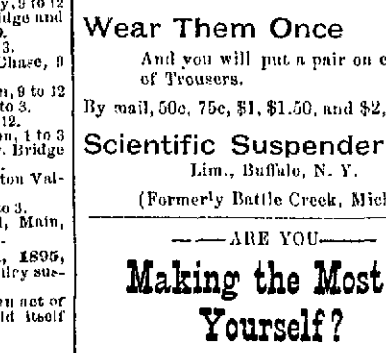
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In May, 1891, Mr. Haywood was appointed cashier of the state treasury department under Colonel S. M. Jackson, in whose favor he withdrew before the convention of 1893. He has been an active political worker since old enough to vote, and his active participation in local and state politics has given him wide acquaintance. Mr. Haywood was for four years chairman of the Mercer county Republican committee.

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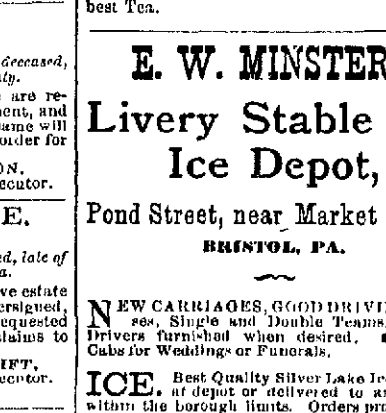
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**MOON'S PHASES.**  
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**BRISTOL POST OFFICE.**

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF MAIL.

In effect June 25, 1895.

**NEW YORK AND EAST—Arrives at 1:15, 9:30, 10:40 A. M., 2:10, 7:30 P. M. Leaves at 1:15, 9:30, 10:40 A. M., 2:10, 7:30 P. M. SUNDAYS.**  
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**EMILY, OXFORD VALLEY, etc.—Arrives at 10:10 A. M. Leaves at 11:40 A. M.**  
**SWETOWN STATION—Arrives 11:30 A. M., leaves 1:00 P. M.**  
Mails for the West and South go by every Philadelphia mail.  
Post Office closes 8:00 P. M., Saturday, 8:30 P. M. Open Sunday from 8 to 9 A. M.  
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**Change of Time.**

In effect Monday, September 10th, 1895.

**UPPER DELAWARE RIVER TRANSPORTATION COMPANY.**

Steamers Columbia, John A. Warner, Twilight and Trenton.  
Leaves Bristol for Philadelphia, week-days, 7 and 9 a. m.; 2 and 4 p. m.  
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Leaves Trenton for Bristol, Sundays, 9 a. m.; and 2 p. m.  
Steamer Trenton stops each way at Florence, Exeter to Philadelphia, etc.  
Exeter to Trenton, etc.  
Single fare to Trenton, 15c.

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In effect January 14th, 1895.

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Meets every Wednesday night at William V. Leach, Captain Commanding, H. T. W. Bickel, Sir Knight Recorder.
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Meets every Wednesday night in I. O. O. F. Building.  
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Meets every Thursday night in Washington Hall.  
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**TO SUCCEED SCHOFIELD.**

General Miles Will Command the United States Army.

**NOT A MILITARY ARISTOCRAT.**

The First Commander of the Army Since General Winfield Scott Who Was Not a Graduate of West Point—His Services as an Indian Fighter.  
NEW YORK, Sept. 30.—There is no longer any doubt that Major General Nelson A. Miles will succeed Lieutenant General Schofield in the office of general in command of the United States army. General Miles is a statement of the fact that last night to a reporter of the Associated Press, saying that he was informed of President Cleveland's determination to appoint him on Friday last by Secretary of War Lamont, whom he met in this city by special appointment at the Metropolitan club.  
General Schofield retired from active service at noon yesterday, and it is probable that the appointment of General Miles will be announced within a day or two. The general will go to Washington in a few days to assume the duties of his high position.  
This announcement will set at rest the rumors which have agitated army circles the past year concerning General Schofield's probable successor. While General Miles was the senior major general of the army, and one of the most popular, personally, with his subordinates, it was reported that he was, for some reason, persona non grata to the president, and that that fact had no diploma from West Point night weigh against his chances. General Ruger was the principal rival for the appointment mentioned.  
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**To Work Their Territorial Conscience.**  
ST. PAUL, Oct. 2.—The Pioneer Press says: Moses R. Clapp left for New York last night on the morning train for a hastily arranged meeting of the Masonic company, limited, to consider immediate steps to take possession of the territory embraced within the concession from Venezuela. The outcome of the meeting may possibly be fraught with serious results. Three letters, it is reported, have been sent to Mr. Bayard, instructing him to notify the British government that unless the whole question is submitted to arbitration, and settled within ninety days, the United States will not accept its own treaty of the dispute and enforce the Monroe doctrine.

**THE LAUNCH OF THE BROOKLYN.**

The Latest Addition to Uncle Sam's Speedy War Vessels.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 3.—The great cruiser Brooklyn, which is to take the place of the old USS Albatross, one of the fastest and most powerful vessels afloat, received her baptism of wine and water yesterday afternoon. She was christened by Miss Ida Schieren, the only daughter of Brooklyn's mayor.  
The launch differed from others of recent years so much in moment, in that it was characterized by much less pomp and ceremony. Secretary of the Navy Herbert, occupied with engagements in Alabama, sent word that he could not be present, and, while the guests from Washington included several persons of prominence, their numbers were limited.  
The general public, who usually furnish to the scene a background of cheering thousands, were not so numerous; represented as heretofore, but the actual spectacle of the launch of a huge war vessel was as strikingly in evidence as ever, and those who did gaze upon the Brooklyn's swift plunge into the ocean beheld a sight that will long linger in their memories.

**Lively Canoeing in Chicago.**

CHICAGO, Oct. 3.—Brisht, battered and bleeding, the contending city and county factions in yesterday's Republican primaries retired from the field of conflict to take a brief rest preparatory to fighting the issue to a finish in today's convention. Both factions claim victory. Broken heads and blackened eyes in more than a score of primary districts attended the fierceness of the battle waged between the city and county factions for control of the convention and for supremacy in the local party organization. Never before. It is said, in the history of Cook county were such scenes enacted as were witnessed at many of the polling places. Thuggery, brawling, rioting, trifling with boxes and breaking of polling booths was the order of the day. In two precincts the judges and clerks were thrown out and the mob took possession.

**The Revolt in Constantinople.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 3.—Secretary Olney received the following cablegram from United States Minister Terrell at Constantinople: "On Monday several hundred Armenians marched on the porte, possibly to ask redress of grievances. The patriarch tried to prevent it. A conflict occurred between Armenians and police, and probably about sixty Turks and Armenians were killed, among others a Turkish major, and many wounded. The Armenians carried pistols. On Tuesday several more were killed. Tuesday night twenty were killed and several hundred imprisoned. The porte had notice of the demonstration, which they say was organized by leaders of Armenians who had been expelled from the city. Much terror exists. I think the porte will be able to resist the attack."

**The Central Pennsylvania Miners.**

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 3.—The miners' convention here yesterday, representing the soft coal miners of central and northern Pennsylvania, was attended by upwards of fifty delegates. The Delco, Pottsville and Reynoldsville districts sent the largest delegations. Sentiment was to a suspension if an advance is not granted by the operators is much divided. Miners from regions in competition with the Pottsville district are a unit in favoring the demand of an advance and the suspension of work if it is not granted, while the delegates from the Clearfield and Beech Creek regions are not disposed to go quite so far. The convention adjourned at 10 o'clock, and a conclusion not being reached a night session was held behind closed doors.

**Miscellaneous**



**SAY! MISTER! YOUVE DROPPED YOUR Battle Ax PLUG A GREAT BIG PIECE FOR 10 CENTS.**

The series of international yacht races between the half riggers Ethelwyn and Spruce IV which were held at the American Boat and Yacht Club, which was victorious in three out of five races.  
Tuesday, Oct. 1.  
The managers of the Atlanta exposition have decided that the gates shall be closed on Sundays.  
Attorney General Harmon has appointed J. Clarence Hoffman, of Cincinnati, as his private secretary.  
Governor Hastings appointed Carl Bishop, of Gravelly, Wayne county, Pa., deputy factory inspector.  
The grand jury at Washington recommends the indictment of a woman for wife beating and other petty criminals.  
The Kentucky conference of the Methodist church, at Covington, voted in favor of admitting women delegates to the general conference.  
Hon. M. G. Wier, aged 68 years, ex-member of the Pennsylvania house of representatives, died at his home in Johnstown, Pa., yesterday.  
The late mills of the Boynton & Wagg company, at West Chester, N. Y., and several other buildings were burned, with a total loss of about \$80,000.  
Wednesday, Oct. 2.  
Massachusetts' Democratic state convention nominated George Fred Williams, of Dedham, for governor.  
The Spanish warship Cristobal Colon ran aground off Mantua on Sept. 20, and will prove a total loss. Three sailors were drowned.  
It is officially announced that China has accepted full satisfaction to France for the recent attack made upon the French missions in China.  
A dispatch from Capetown, Africa, says that Bishop Myles, of Nyasaland, and a companion were drowned in Lake Nyasaland on Sept. 12.  
There are 141 brandy distillers in operation in sixteen counties of middle Tennessee and there will be the largest output of apple brandy since 1888, amounting to at least 2,500 barrels.  
Accident Louis Elsie was giving an exhibition at Liberty, O., and was up 1,000 feet when a sudden wind blew the balloon over. His parachute did not open until he was within fifty feet of the ground, which he hit with great force, sustaining fatal injuries.  
Thursday, Oct. 3.  
Mrs. Annie Wilmington, 30 years old, committed suicide near Mount Washington, Ky., by hanging herself. Her mind was affected.  
Dr. Elliot F. Rogers, instructor in chemistry at Harvard college, was found dead in the college laboratory last night. Probably suicide.  
William Leonard shot and fatally wounded Timothy Reilly at Pittsburgh because he was discharged by Rowley, whose mill helper he had been.  
Colonel Donald Cameron, aged 81, the oldest newspaper man in Tennessee, died at one time prominent in politics, died yesterday at his home in Jackson.

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